

THE WEATHER
Forecast for Portsmouth
and vicinity—Generally
calm tonight and Saturday; a
very slight change of tem-
perature; variable winds.

SUN AND TIDE
Sun Rises..... 6:03
Sun Sets..... 6:26
High Tide..... 12:15 am
High Tide..... 12:48 pm
Low Tide..... 9:06 pm

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THE PORTSMOUTH HERALD

DEGENERATE CAPTURED AFTER NIGHT SEARCH

Five Hundred Armed Citizens Joined
Police and Militia in Hunt for Man
Who Lured 12 Year Old Girl
Into the Woods.

(Special to The Herald)

Augusta, Me., April 16.—After an all night man hunt by 500 infuriated citizens, police and militia, Julian Kittredge was captured at 7:30 o'clock this morning. He was accused by 12-year-old Doris Brown of luring her into the woods at Mount Pleasant. The capture and arrest was made by Deputy Marshal Sewall Glidden and Private Ralph Bryant, Company M, 3d Regiment, Maine National Guard. Bryant baited Kittredge after threatening to shoot him in his tracks if he attempted to escape. Kittredge was brought to this city where more than a thousand persons surrounded the jail but no violence was done the prisoner. Little Doris Brown was lured into the woods by Kittredge as she was returning from school Thursday afternoon. She was accompanied by Florence Lishness when she entered the woods, but the little girl became frightened at the actions of Kittredge, broke away from him, and running to her home told her story, which aroused the entire city.

According to the story of the Lishness girl it was just dusk when the trio stepped into the edge of the woods. No sooner had they gotten away from the road than the man seized both and attempted to drag them with him. The Lishness girl was terror stricken at

his sudden change of mood and after a violent struggle she broke away and escaped him. She was near exhaustion when she finally reached home and it was some time before she could overcome hysterical attacks long enough to give an account of what had taken place. The police were immediately notified and realizing the hopelessness of finding the missing pair without the assistance of a large force of men the chief police sounded a whistle alarm which brought out the members of the militia company, some 25 men responding within a short time after the alarm was sounded. To this number some 15 more were added in the next two hours and a search of the woods which are located between the city farm and Joseph A. Meader's home was begun.

By 8 o'clock 500 armed citizens had joined in the search and it was continued throughout the night.

The little Brown girl staggered out of the woods alone at 4 o'clock this morning and was immediately taken to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Brown.

Kittredge is a degenerate youth of this city and was released but a short time ago from the state prison, where he had been serving a five-year sentence for attempted assault upon the wife of a prominent local business man.

Several English Towns Bombed By German Airships Early This Morning--Little Damage Done--Only One Person Injured

(Special to The Herald)

London, April 16.—For the second time within thirty hours German Zeppelin airships made a raid on England early this morning. Half a dozen towns were bombed but dispatches from the towns attacked state that very little damage was done by missiles from the airships. Only one person, a woman, is known to have been hurt. She was struck by flying debris at her home in Lowestoft.

Three Zeppelins took part in this latest raid, one of them passing within ten miles of London. This is the nearest that a raiding airship has approached this city since the German airfleets became active.

London April 16.—Reports that German aeroplanes were bombing towns in Kent reached here this afternoon, and were prominently displayed by some of the evening newspapers.

The Echo printed a statement that the air craft were dropping bombs upon Sittingbourne and Faversham. The former town is 28 miles from London, while the latter is about 36 miles from the capital. Both are a few miles from the British naval base at Chatham.

It was later learned that a bomb dropped several bombs upon Faversham, and then proceeded to Sittingbourne, where it dropped one bomb that fell in an orchard. No material damage was done at either town. At

ter passing over Sittingbourne, the bomb headed for Queensborough and Sheerness with a British aeroplane in pursuit.

(Special to The Herald)

London, April 16.—Precautions are being taken to prevent loss from a Zeppelin raid that is expected may be made over this city tonight by the Germans. Warnings have been sent out by the authorities to have all lights extinguished if such an order is issued under penalty of arrest. The order will not be issued unless it is learned that the attack is about to be made. British aviators and military observers are being sent out to watch for the enemy's airships.

To prevent any undue panic arising the 7000 constables who have been organized since the war began, have been instructed to report at Scotland Yard at 5:30 for duty to aid the police.

The weather conditions are ideal for aerial navigation tonight here and it is believed that the raids of Thursday night and this morning were only scouting trips.

**INVENTOR IN CHARGE
OF AIR OPERATIONS**

(Special to The Herald)

Amsterdam, April 16.—Count Zeppelin has arrived at Cuxhaven and is in personal charge of the aerial operations against England. Advises received here today from Berlin state that there is great activity at Cuxhaven and Emden, two of Germany's chief flying bases, and there are indications that the German fleet is about to make a new sortie.

**\$15,000 FIRE AT
HOULTON, MAINE**

(Special to The Herald)

Houlton, Me., April 16.—Fire caused by a flying match head caused a \$15,000 damage to the stock and building of the Dunn Furniture Company on Main street. Roland Hanson, a clerk, struck a match to light an alcohol stove. The burning head flew into a pile of excelsior. Hanson was severely burned about the face, hands

and arms. The loss is covered by insurance.

6000 KILLED IN MEXICAN BATTLE

Villa's Troops Suffered Severe Losses in Attack on Celaya.

El Paso Texas, April 16.—Six thousand Villa soldiers were killed and eight thousand captured together with thirty cannon and a large quantity of ammunition in a two days' battle at Celaya between the forces commanded by General Obregon and General Villa, according to advices made public today by the Carranza consular official. No news has come from Villa headquarters. The Carranza information is that the battle began on Tuesday and continued until Thursday afternoon when the army of Villa retreated northward in disorder. General Villa was in personal command of his troops.

DROWNED MAN IDENTIFIED

As John Curry of Roxbury,
Mass., Whose Body Was Found in Piscataqua River.

After a lapse of two weeks, the body of the man found in the Piscataqua by Purser Earl Dearborn of the Atlantic Shore Line ferry, Alice Howard, on the afternoon of Tuesday March 30, has been identified as John Curry, aged 62 of Roxbury, Mass. He was unmarried.

The identification was made this week by his brother, Henry of that city.

The Atlantic Shore transfer slip was the silent witness that corroborated the story told by the unfortunate man's brother, who stated that John Curry left Roxbury at six o'clock, Wednesday evening, March 28th, to take the train leaving Boston at 7:30 and which arrives in Portsmouth a little after nine. Curry was bound for Kittery where he was to help load a lumber barge. The transfer slip told the rest of the grim story, tracing the movements of the man from Portsmouth across the ferry, and remained in his pocket until six days later when the body was discovered.

PARROT SCARES AWAY BURGLAR

Attempt to Enter Walden Residence on Lafayette Road.

Another attempt at break house-breaking was made again in the West End section on Thursday night at the residence of Richard I. Walden, 151 Lafayette road. The work was done between 8 and 11 o'clock while the family were away from the house.

The burglar planned on getting in a window in the rear of the house but after breaking the glass was frightened away by the squawking of a parrot which hung in a cage close to the window. The police are working on the case today, which is similar to the many other breaks that have been frequent in that section of the city.

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MARKET STREET

BASEBALL

The Portsmouth High started the game with Shapiro pitching. He was game with Shapiro pitching. He was the Montauk team played Thursday behind the bat. Bennett who played here last year was called at the end of the 6th in the Sunset League, pitched for the winning with a score of 2 to 2. Montauk team.

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KITTERY

Breezy Items from the Village
Across the River.

The following is the copy of a circular which is being sent the young people of Kittery through the schools. The idea of this plan is to make Kittery a more attractive town and to increase in the children of the town a love for beautiful surroundings. The idea is an excellent one and should be greatly encouraged by the parents. The circular reads thus:

Home Garden Contest

The Riverside Reading Club of Kittery announces a "Home Garden Contest" open to the young people of Kittery under the following conditions:

Class One—This contest will be open to all young people who are students of Thrip Academy in April, 1915. Two prizes will be offered for the best flower or vegetable garden; a first prize of three dollars and a second prize of two dollars. All preparation of the soil, planting, watering and weeding must be done by the student himself.

Class Two—This contest will be open to all residents of Kittery from nine to fifteen years of age, not included in class one. Three prizes will be offered for the best flower or vegetable garden; a first prize of three dollars, a second prize of two dollars and a third prize of one dollar. All planting, watering and weeding must be done by the owner of the garden.

Class Three—This contest will be open to all residents of Kittery under nine years of age. Three prizes will be offered for the best flower or vegetable garden; a first prize of three dollars, a second prize of two dollars and a third prize of one dollar.

Why trade out of town when you can save time, car fares, expressman's charges, and buy good material at low prices at G. L. Trefethen's. I have on hand a full line of poultry wire, roofing, paints, varnishes, Kyanite, garden tools, and general household goods. Telephone orders promptly filled.

Daniel Mason of Dame street continues to improve from his illness.

This evening the Phoebe will observe Gentlemen's night and will entertain in the vestry of the Second

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TUESDAY, APRIL 20th.

The Most Pronounced Dramatic Success of the Season**THE TRAIL OF THE LONESOME PINE**

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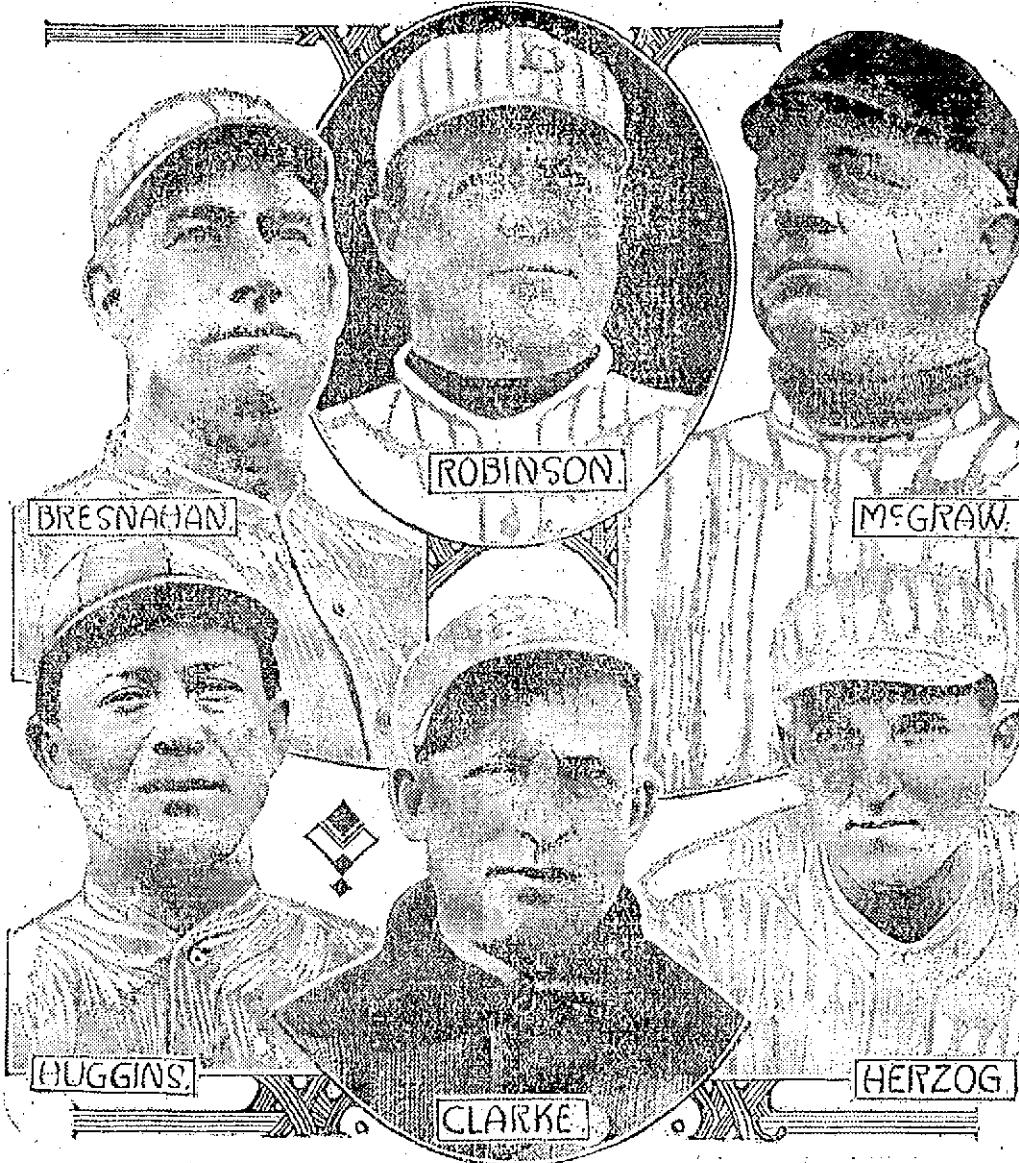
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SIX MANAGERS OF NATIONAL LEAGUE CLUBS WHO HAVE CHAMPIONSHIP BEES BUZZING IN THEIR BONNETS

Judging from the prophesies of the fortune to land lower than second, Pat Moran, new leader of the Dugouts says in that organization this season is going to have a novel ending. At least 60 and then there are Managers Stalwart teams will occupy the first three bogs of the world's champions. McGeachey, and the first division is sure draw of the Giants and Brooklyn of this season. In passing, we will mention that the other occupants of the Branch Robinson, has in his usual cheery has picked his own team to carry off division. Cincinnati, St. Louis and pennant, seized first place for his rejuvenated Dodgers. He says that his latter three admittedly on past gress modestly claim the consolation team must have a serious run of mis- performances have more reason for pride for their charges.

Christian church from 6 to 10 o'clock. At 6 o'clock supper will be served. Joseph Jenkins is seriously ill at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Everett E. Ollis of Government street.

Mrs. J. Harvey Pitts of Harrison, Me., is visiting her mother, Mrs. Martha Rounds of Rogers road.

George Crowell of Rice Avenue is quite ill.

The Riverside Reading Club has secured teams which will go through the town on Monday next, "Clean-Up Kittery Day," and remove all rubbish and other matter placed in barrels or other receptacles in front yards. The following gentlemen have freely given the use of their teams on that day: Messrs. Horace Mitchell, Walter Fernald, and Milton Cochran. The former will collect at Kittery Point, and the other two will collect through Kittery from the junction to Kittery Point bridge, including the side streets.

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KITTERY POINT**Tennis of Interest from the Harbor Town.**

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ELIOT

William L. Fernald returned home this week after having passed the winter traveling through the South on his annual business trip.

Miss Nettie Hancock was a visitor in town on Wednesday.

Miss Winnifred Fernald is visiting her aunt, Mrs. William M. Stanborn of Saranacville, N. Y.

Herbert H. Foss passed Wednesday in Rollinsford with his parents.

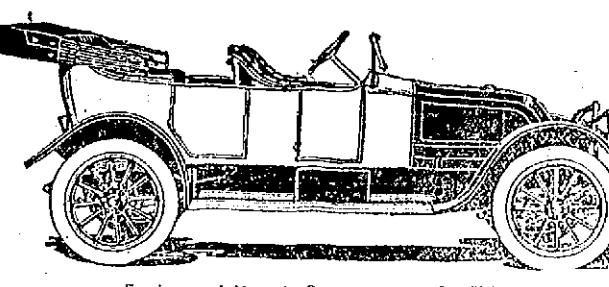
Frank L. Fernald, U. S. A., retired and wife, who have passed the winter in New York, returned here this week and opened their home on Greenwood street.

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and third prize of one dollar. All planting, watering and weeding must be done by the owner of the garden.

All young folks who care to enter this contest will please send in their names and addresses to Mrs. George L'Amoreux, Kittery, Maine, on or before May first 1915. They will please state clearly which contest they are entering. The contests will close August 28.

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Portsmouth, N. H., Friday, April 16, 1915.

No Excuse for Jingoism.

Calls for the enlargement of the United States army and a general strengthening of our preparedness for war continue to be heard. Military men are naturally in favor of this sort of thing at all times, the manufacturers of war munitions and supplies are always ready to welcome anything that will increase their business, and with conditions as they are in Europe it is not unnatural that many of the people of this country should be led to feel that safety lies only in arming to the teeth and being fully prepared to fight at the drop of the hat.

Nevertheless there is no reason why the United States should imitate the nations of the Old World in preparing for war. This country is large and powerful. It is at peace with all the world and is likely to remain so in spite of the whirlwind of war that is now sweeping the world. It needs to be reasonably protected, and it is. The raising of bigbears is poor business. It is utter folly for a nation with the history of the United States, its size, its policies, its isolation and its capacity to place an immense army of volunteers in the field on very short notice, to become excited at this time and fall to imitating the nations that have been plunged into war very largely through their preparedness for war.

The New York World very sensibly calls attention to the fact that the rebellion was put down by an army of volunteers whose "organization, training and conduct in the field were successful and satisfactory," and it adds that "for a nation which blue water and a modern navy protect from a too sudden blow, patriotism is still the trustworthy defense."

The United States is not in danger. It needs no great standing army. It is not seeking new territory or to extend its trade through the instrumentality of the sword. If the condition of the army needs attention at certain points it should receive it, but the idea of adopting Old World tactics and standing constantly ready to fight the world is preposterous and should not be entertained for a moment. This country has done well by giving its attention to business rather than to militarism, and it will do well to continue this sound and sensible policy.

Fight fans are complaining of the practice of using laurels won in the ring as a stepping stone to the stage, but this is a practice that is not confined to the prize ring. The modern stage invites those who have become notorious through any avenue, and cheapens itself accordingly, but for this the public is as much to blame as the managers. However, it is difficult to believe that boxing commissioners of any state are considering the making of rules that will compel fighters to stick to their trade instead of accepting promotion to the stage. Prize fighting is something that should be discouraged rather than encouraged.

A Georgia life-time prisoner who has served 26 years for murder was recently offered a pardon by the governor, but declined it. He says he is not guilty of the crime of which he was convicted, and that the only thing he will accept is vindication through a new trial. This is impossible and unless he changes his mind he must stay where he is. All will agree with the governor that this "is an amazing case."

A Chicago philanthropist who some time ago built in that city a hotel for the unemployed proposes to erect a similar institution in Boston at a cost of \$100,000. These houses are not to be free, but will be open to men actually out of employment at a cost so moderate as to be practically within reach of all deserving men. Properly managed, such hotels should be the means of accomplishing much good.

New York is becoming more and more an all-night city. One all-night moving picture house has already been opened, and after June 1 there will be all-night railway service between the metropolis and numerous suburbs. There is little rest for the weary or anybody else in New York, and the tendency is to reduce rather than increase it.

"Demand grows for the retirement of Secretary of the Navy Daniels," says a prominent New England newspaper. At the time of the Spanish war the demand was "Alger must go," and it was kept up till he went. Must the ousting of a member of the president's cabinet be an accompaniment of every war?

Wait Mason, the "jangler," has evidently had his troubles with the magazine editors, whom he brands as "conceited, overbearing, shallow-pated frauds." And yet he manages to get along very well without their co-operation.

Let there be no hysteria over the fact that the traveling public pays the greater part of the wages of Pullman car porters. It is a self-assumed burden and therefore one of which the public has no right to complain.

SPANISH VETS ENCAMPMENT

Orders for Fast Day Issued by State Commander.

Frank C. Merrick of Manchester, department commander of the United Spanish War Veterans, has issued general orders relative to the ninth annual department encampment which will be held in Manchester on Fast Day in the Lake Avenue Armory. They are sent from Claremont and besides the name of the commander bears the signatures of Chief of Staff William H. Stevens of this city and Department Adjutant Fred A. Hayes.

The meeting will be held at 1 o'clock in the afternoon, although credentials

may be exchanged for the encampment at any time after 11 in the morning.

It is desired that the camps forward a list of the number of comrades intending to be present to Commander Richard J. Brown, 285 Pine street, Manchester, in order that arrangements may be made for the encampment.

It is hoped the comrades of the United Spanish War Veterans of New Hampshire will endeavor to show their interest in the organization by accepting the hospitalities which Derwin Camp has so generously offered and assist in making the ninth encampment one long to be remembered as the starting point of a larger, stronger and more active department.

The committees in charge of the affairs are:

Train—Fred St. Cyr, John Sullivan, William Quinn, William Main and John H. Hageerty.

Entertainment—James J. Tobin, Thomas A. Reed, Charles A. Pegor and Richard J. Brown.

Press—Thomas A. Reed and Michael F. Burke.

NAVY YARD NEWS

Dropped from Navy

Chief Boatswain William Speer, U. S. N., retired, who was recently court-martialed at the naval station, Newport, has been discharged from the service.

Speer was charged with conduct unbecoming an officer and a gentleman, the specifications alleging mainly numerous unpaid accounts.

Try Her Out Saturday

The second Admirals barge, a sister boat to that of President Wilson's wife, will be given a trial on the river Saturday after which it will be shipped South and used by the commander of the second division Atlanta fleet, Captain C. J. Boush.

Trying Them Out

Private Elbert Doll, formerly of the baseball team at the marine headquarters Washington, now stationed at the yard, has taken charge of the team at the barracks and will try and bring out a fast nine on the diamond. Doll is a fast man himself and can play about any position on the team.

Gave Him Set of Harnesses

Rolla Stevens, an anglesmith in the industrial department who concluded his duties at the navy yard on Wednesday was presented by the crew in the smithshop with a set of fine work harnesses to be used on his horses on a fine farm which he recently purchased near Waterville, Me.

Opened Bids Today

The bids for the repairs on the army tug Lieut. Morrison were opened by the quartermaster's department, U. S. A., in Washington at noon today.

Want More Time.

In order to complete the repairs on the U. S. S. Montana the department will be asked for more time on that vessel and the cruiser may remain here until June 15.

Want Games.

The army baseball team at Fort McHenry, Portland, has requested games with a marine team from the prison and barracks.

"THE TRAIL OF THE LONESOME PINE"

In "The Trail of the Lonesome Pine" which is adopted from the novel of

the same name by John Fox Jr., Eugene Walter is said to have painted a wonderful June, the barefooted wondering eyed lovers heroine of the story of the play. The part of the half savage半游牧的 child of the Cumberland mountains is naturally the big feature of the play, which comes to the Portsmouth Theatre, Tuesday evening, April 20.

In the play Mr. Walter has made primitive love the motive for a feudal war that rages between two clashing mountain clans and the families of the Tollivers and the Falins. June's love for Hale, the engineer, is made the cause of the killing of Dave Tolliver by Buck Falin as well as the attempted murder of Hale by young Dave. The play has been given a gorgeous scene setting a vivid dramatic visualization of the book. From beginning to end it is a story of elemental love, a story that is meant to be heard clutching in its intensity. It is the love of a mountain girl, educated in the way of society and civilization, for a man of the world, a love which June does not understand—a love which frightens her a little.

June's love for Hale is inspired from a companionship around the lonesome pine, spiritualized by the potent fancy that the spirit of her dead sister is talking to her in the trembling of the pine needles and the sighing of the wind through the branches. It develops into the finer instincts of the yearning of soul for soul and it enlarges until it warms and beats upon all of the Tolliver kin and quietes the feud that has been raging in the Cumberland mountains for a hundred years.

SOLDIER TAKEN ILL.

Felt Spell Coming on and Asked Police to Assist Him.

A soldier from the Coast Artillery at Fort Constitution approached Police Officer Condon on Congress street shortly before noon today and requested the officer to assist him as he was feeling ill. The officer took him to the station, placed him on a cot and sent a call for the city physician. Before the doctor arrived he suffered a severe epileptic fit. He later recovered and was taken to the army hospital at the post by the ambulance corps.

OBITUARY

Mrs. Gertrude Woods.

Mrs. Gertrude Woods, wife of George R. Woods, died today at her home on Newcastle avenue, after a short illness of double pneumonia. Deceased was formerly Miss Gertrude Russell, only child of the late Mr. and Mrs. William F. Russell, and has passed all her life in this city. She was a woman of many domestic virtues, a good neighbor and a most devoted wife and mother. Her death is the cause of much sorrow to her lifelong friends and acquaintances. Beside her husband she is survived by three sons, Lloyd H., Kenneth T., and G. Norman.

NINE MISSING WITH STEAMER FOLKE

Aberdeen, April 16.—Nine persons are believed to have perished when the Swedish steamer Folke was sunk off Peterhead Wednesday night. She either struck a mine or was torpedoed. Seven members of the crew were landed hero today from the trawler Tuber Prince, but the captain, seven sailors, and stewardess, who were in another boat are missing. The Folke sank two hours after blowing up.

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Lafayette school	1.53
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Woburn school73
Franklin school54
Spaniard school	1.31
Eighth grade45
	\$764.15

FOR SALE—Parlor stove, sliding grate, perfect condition; gas range, four covers, oven and hot closet; oak side board, French plate mirror. Will sell at one-third original cost. 119 Vaughan street. To be appt. 16, 1915.

LOST—Little girl two years old; left corner of High and School streets, at 10:30. Return her to home. G. Simond, 124 High street.

The vaudeville bill offered at the Portsmouth Theatre is an exceptionally fine one.

DR. BANCROFT REINSTATED AS SUPERINTENDENT

Gov. Spaulding and Board of Control Took Action at Special Meeting on Thursday.

Dr. Charles P. Bancroft, superintendent of the New Hampshire State Hospital, who was deposed by Governor Pecker and the Democratic members of the board of control last December, was reappointed Thursday evening by Governor Spaulding and the board of control without debate, at a special meeting.

The action of the board in ousting Dr. Bancroft was made the subject of legislative inquiry which resulted in a verdict that all the charges against the doctor was without foundation.

The finding of the commission filed with the governor and council within a few days, entirely vindicated Dr. Bancroft of the charges filed against him and while mildly rebuking the majority members of the board of control for not paying more personal attention to the hospital, implied that the real cause of the trouble was the steward of the hospital who gave different versions of the same situation to Purchasing Agent Fowler and Dr. Bancroft which was the reason chiefly for the feeling entertained by each against the other.

The expense of the investigation was \$4500 according to the statement of Chairman James E. French of the appropriations committee.

Dr. Bancroft and family are now in California visiting the exposition. He will be notified by telegraph of his appointment and will resume his duties immediately on his return.

RAILROAD NOTES

The special train with one hundred or more Portsmouth folks who visited Dover on Thursday evening, arrived back in this city shortly after three o'clock this morning.

Trains on the Portland division of the Boston and Maine were run over the new packet arch of the Portsmouth and Kittery bridge for the first time on Thursday. The temporary bridge which has been in place during the repairs will be removed at once.

The dynamo connected with the depot and round house lighting system of the Boston and Maine which has been in the hands of the electrical department at Boston for repairs was put in place in the station baggage room today.

Beginning Monday all shops of the trolley system will be placed on a 50 hour time instead of 40. The increased working hours will affect several thousand men over the system, and about 1000 in Reading alone.

The strike that tied up all city lines and interurban services on the Auburn and Syracuse Electric railway since last Wednesday was called off on Monday following advices from officers of Amalgamated Association of Street Railway Employees in Syracuse that the big strike threatened on all unions between Buffalo and Syracuse had been declared off. Cars are now running.

The bill to repeal the Pennsylvania extra crew law passed second reading in the house at Harrisburg, and will come up for final passage next Monday night.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS ANNUAL CONVENTION

Many Subordinate Lodges Making Arrangements for April 28 at Plaistow.

The annual district convention, Knights of Pythias, including Swampscott Lodge, No. 9, of Portsmouth, Wentworth Lodge, No. 22, of Newcastle, Union Lodge, No. 51, of North Hampton, and Trinity Lodge, No. 56, of Plaistow, will be held with Trinity Lodge of Plaistow on Wednesday evening, April 28.

Trinity Lodge is making special effort to entertain a large number on this occasion. An interesting program is being arranged, and it is expected that all the Grand Lodge officers of New Hampshire as well as some from other states will be present. It is expected this will be one of the largest and best conventions ever held in this district.

TAKES A BRIDE IN CAMBRIDGE

Mason-Galecia Nuptials Occurred on Wednesday.

A very pretty home wedding took place at Cambridge on Wednesday when Miss Minnie Galecia of that city and Harry L. Mason, former resident of Portsmouth, were united in wedlock at the bride's home in the presence of the immediate families. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. J. L. Doyle of Hamilton, Mass.

CURRENT OPINION

City Born Children More Healthy Than Country Bred.

Public health is purchasable. Within natural limitations any community can determine its own death rate.

The city of New York is a splendid illustration of this truth. A quarter century campaign for public health has cut nearly in half the death rate of the city. Twenty-five years ago the death rate was twenty-six per thousand. Now it is thirteen and one-third per thousand.

The handiwork of city life and overcrowding have been outweighed, and the crude death rate in the second largest city in the world has been reduced materially below that of the rural districts of the state.

A child born in New York city has a better chance than a child born in a country community.—By Dr. Hermann M. Biggs, Health Commissioner of the State of New York.

C. O. D. POSTAL SERVICE

Will Try New Scheme on Fourth Class Mail.

The post office department is planning to institute a "collection-delivery" postal service, whereby fourth class mail may be sent without prepayment of postage. It is expected the plan will be tried if consent of the Interstate Commerce Commission is obtained.

NOTICE.

The subscriber gives notice that he has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Alice D. Carroll, late of Portsmouth in the county of Rockingham, deceased.

All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and all having claims to present them for adjustment.

CHARLES P. CARROLL.

Dated March 2, 1915.

HELD IN BIG BAIL

Offlo, Mo., April 15.—Probable cause for holding Leroy F. Shaw, former town treasurer for the September term of the supreme court on the charge of embezzlement of town funds was found in the Plaistow municipal court today. There is alleged to be a shortage of \$400 in his accounts. Shaw pleaded not guilty. He furnished \$3200 bail.

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Woods Hole, April 15.—The coast guard cutter Acushnet sailed today to assist two unknown schooners reported in distress on Hawes Shoal, Nantucket Sound. A strong northeast wind was sweeping the sound at the time and the vessel was said to be aground on the windward side of the shoal. Hawes Shoal is between Cape Poge and Martha's Vineyard and has been the scene of many wrecks.

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A. P. LEIGHTON AGAIN CANDIDATE IN PORTLAND

Has Been Mayor Twice; Seeks
Office After Voluntary
Retirement.

The name of Ex-Mayor Adam P. Leighton, of Portland, has been mentioned as a possible candidate again for that office at the next election to be held in December.

It is urged that after two terms, Mr. Leighton voluntarily retired, and on the perspective of the intervening years the good things done under his administration shone out prominently, and to his great personal advantage. In short, Mr. Leighton's friends believe that in most respects he was more shamed against than sinning, and that the time is now ripe for a vindication of him, but rather a grateful recognition by his fellow Republicans of the achievements of an administration of which he was the head.

Should the movement receive such a momentum as to finally put the ex-Mayor across at the next republican convention, it is thought and that too on the best of authority, that Mr. Leighton will accept the proffered honor and head the Republican ticket at the next city election.

Ex-Mayor Leighton is well known in this city, and his many friends wish him the best of success.

EX-SEN. ALDRICH DEAD IN N. Y.

Passes Away at His Home
From Apoplexy Today.

(Special to The Herald)

New York, April 15.—Ex-Senator Nelson W. Aldrich of Rhode Island died suddenly at his home here today, at the age of 74. Mr. Aldrich's death followed a stroke of apoplexy which he suffered yesterday afternoon, from which it was thought he was recovering. The apoplectic stroke was preceded by an attack of indigestion.

Mr. Aldrich had been in failing health for several years and had taken several ocean voyages in an effort to regain his health. When he returned from his last voyage it was supposed that he had been considerably benefited. The end came suddenly today at his home at 908 Fifth avenue. After retiring from the United States senate where he was one of the leading Republican figures for many years, Mr. Aldrich had passed most of his time in New York.

Nelson Wilmarth Aldrich was one of the foremost students of financial and economic affairs that the United States has ever produced. During his long term in the service of the public he was identified with many of the important political issues, the chief of which were the tariff and monetary reform.

The ex-senator was born at Peister R. L., November 6, 1841. He was the father-in-law of John D. Rockefeller, Jr., his daughter Abby Green Aldrich having married the son of the Standard Oil king. He was the Republican leader in the senate and his word was law. He was very rich and maintained a residence in Providence, R. I., his daughter Abby Green Aldrich a country estate at Warwick, R. I.

CHURCH NOTES

The Junior Christian Endeavor will meet at the Court Street Christian church on Friday afternoon. Miss Ruth Coleman, leader.

The regular mid week service will be held at the Methodist church this Friday evening.

The regular prayer meeting was held at the Court Street Christian church on Wednesday evening.

The Young Men's Guild entertained the Girls' Guild at the Middle Street church chapel on Thursday evening.

The Four Leaf Clover Society of the Court Street Christian church held its regular monthly meeting on Tuesday evening at the home of the president, F. G. Griffin of State street. A social was enjoyed and games and music were indulged in. Refreshments of ices and cakes were served by the hostess.

The Boys' Guild of St. John's Parish held its meeting at the chapel on Tuesday evening. A social was enjoyed by the members.

The Inasmuch Circle of King's Daughters connected with the North church parish held the regular meeting on Tuesday afternoon with a large attendance. Tea was served. Mrs. R. W. Hannaford and Mrs. Clark acted as hostesses of the occasion.

The Teachers' training class was conducted on Tuesday evening by Mrs. Anna O. Benfield, Miss Alice Alderman, principal of the Parrott school spoke



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The evangelistic service on Tuesday evening with a sermon by Rev. Mr. Stanley was well attended as also was the evangelistic service in charge of Rev. E. P. Moulton on Friday evening.

The Mothers' Club of the Universalist church held their meeting on Thursday afternoon.

The men of the Universalist parish held a meeting last evening in the vestry of the church to arrange for the May festival.

The Mothers Club of the Congregational church meets at the parish house this afternoon.

DRAW JURORS.

List Selected for April Term of Superior Court at Exeter.

The following were the jurors drawn by the several ward clerks at the city clerk's office on Thursday evening for the April term of superior court at Exeter.

Ward One—Petit, Frank J. Bickford, Chauncey B. Hoyt.

Ward Two—No drawing.

Ward Three—Petit, Edward McGowan.

Ward Four—Grand, Horace W. Gray, Petit, Herman A. Brackett.

Ward Five—Grand, Charles D. Johnson, Petit, Harry H. Slosberg.

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LOST—A bunch of keys on street Wednesday afternoon. Return to H. Herald, Office; reward. Apr. 15, 1w.

EX-GOVERNOR WOODBURY OF VERMONT DEAD

Was Chief Executive 1894-96.
Active in G. A. R. Affairs
in State.

Burlington, Vt., April 15—Ex-Governor Urban A. Woodbury died at his home in this city tonight.

He had been in ill health for some months. Several weeks ago he went to Battle Creek sanitarium and while there he suffered a shock. He was brought back to this city last week unconscious and never rallied.

He is survived by a wife and six children, Charles L. Woodbury, and Edward P. Woodbury and Edward P. Woodbury of Burlington, Mrs. Guy M. Page of Burlington, Mrs. J. Walter May of Boston, Mrs. Walter C. Lane of Wilmot, and Mrs. Walter M. Powers of Morrisville. He had entertained at his home Presidents McKinley, Roosevelt and Taft.

Governor Woodbury was a native of New Hampshire, born in Aeworth July 9, 1838. He enlisted in Company I, Second Vermont Volunteers on May 25, 1861 and was made sergeant on June 19. He lost an arm in the first battle of Bull Run and was captured and sent to Libby prison. After his exchange Sergeant Woodbury re-enlisted as a private in Company D, 11th Vermont, and was commissioned a captain, November 16, 1863. He served until March 1865 when he resigned and was honorably discharged.

He was the lieutenant governor of Vermont from 1888 to 1890 and governor in 1894-96. Among the other public offices he had served in, was two years as alderman of Burlington 1882-83; mayor 1885-1886; member of commission to investigate the conduct of the war with Spain in 1898, he was elected department commander of the Vermont G. A. R.

THIRD ANNUAL ELKS' MEETING

Andrew O. Caswell of This City Elected Secretary of the State Association.

The third annual meeting and banquet of the Association of New Hampshire Elks was held with Dover Lodge Thursday evening. About 500 Elks from all parts of the state assembled.

The meeting at Elks' hall was preceded by a parade, the column being escorted by a band.

George B. Wright, exalted ruler of Dover Lodge, was chairman of the reception committee. The banquet in the City Opera House was attended by 385. City Clerk Fred E. Quimby, P. E. R., of Dover Lodge, was toastmaster. Mayor George D. Barrett gave the welcoming address, Patrick Cassidy of Rochester, president of the association, responding. The other speakers were James R. Nicholson of Springfield, Mass.; Judge James W. Remick of Concord, William E. Kinney of Claremont, D. D. G. B. R. of New Hampshire; Charles T. F. McCue of Cambridge, Mass., and Exalted Ruler G. B. Wright.

An elaborate program was rendered by Thomas Brennan, Eddie Hughes, Exalted Ruler Wright, Chaplain Evans of Revere Lodge, and the Aeolian Quartet of this city.

The membership increased 22% in the year and is now nearly 600. These officers were elected: Law-

rence P. Laveroni of Keene, president; George F. Boile of Nashua, vice president; A. O. Caswell of Portsmouth, secretary; Jeremiah D. Hallsey of Nashua, treasurer; William A. Doherty of Manchester, guard.

Nearly one hundred members of Portsmouth Lodge attended the banquet. The members assembled at the Elks' Home on Pleasant street and headed by Emery's Military band of Dover marched to the Boston and Maine depot where the train was taken for the up-river city.

PORTSMOUTH THEATRE PROGRAMME

Friday and Saturday

Our feature in the afternoon will be "The Walls of Jericho." This is a five reel photoplay featuring Edmund Breen as it was produced by James K. Hackett at the Alhambra Theatre in New York City.

It is a virile story of English social life. A warning to modern civilization against the decadence of its very foundation. It is a clarion blast against gambling, dissipation and tendencies just as injurious to our social being. Show at 2.45.

The vaudeville will be on also.

Evening Performance: "The Girl Detective"—Kalem (two parts).

This is the eighth story in this series called "The Trap-Door" featuring Cleo Reddy. This is the same story which we were supposed to have last Monday and Tuesday.

Trapped by a clever crook the girl detective's assistant is thrown into a dungeon. The place is gradually flooded. Huge rats leave their holes to attack him. Don't fail to see this story.

ACT—Mostros Sisters—The most finished singing and talking act on the stage.

"One Law Breaker"—Lubin Drama.

A man is unjustly convicted of a crime; on his release from prison he determines to avenge his wrongs.

"When Dumbleigh Saw the Joke"—Vitagraph Comedy.

Even a dead one gets wise to it and joins in the boisterous merriment. Sidney Drew featured.

ACT—Lyons and Collins—A Vaudeville Variety direct from Hammersteins.

"The Outlaw's Bride"—Solig Drama.

Tom Mix appears as a resourceful sheriff who saves a girl of his choice from consequences of force of marriage.

Features Coming Monday ONLY

Charlie Chaplin in a two reel comedy entitled "The Tramp."

Ninth story of the "Girl Detective" —2 reels.

Hearst Selig News Fictorial—1 reel. Lotta—5 reels with Clara Kimball Young.

Wednesday and Thursday

Billy Sunday in action. One reel.

"Poison"—A Kalem in two parts which everybody ought to see.

Special Matinee Tuesday.

HAMPTON

Mrs. Albert Church was called to Hudson this week by the sudden death of her uncle.

Miss Addie Marston is entertaining her niece, Mrs. Wing of Lynn.

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RAILROAD BILL IS DEFEATED IN HOUSE

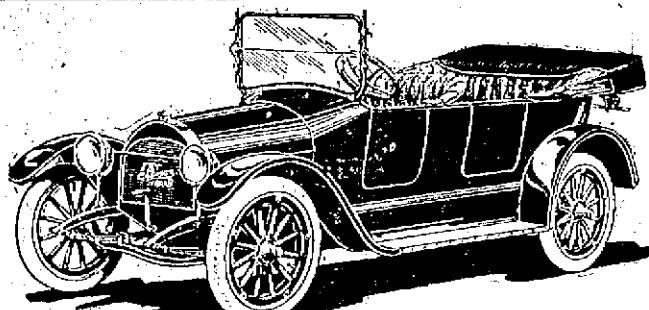
By a Vote of 161 to 128--Stated That the Judiciary Committee Will Introduce Another Bill Eliminating the Consolidation Features

Concord N. H., April 15--House Bill gives commissions to grant them additional revenue and the result was demoralization.

In addition he said the Boston and Maine had been under the influence of the New Haven road and that in itself was demoralizing. His influence had not been good and it had dropped the Boston and Maine into the pit. The milling of the Boston and Maine railroad had not as yet extended to the leased lines but the object sought in this bill is to reach the leased lines and pull them down from the high shelf they have occupied into the pit with the Boston and Maine. They seek to do this by consolidation.

Suppose you grant this and what do you get? You will receive preferred stock in the Boston and Maine system which recently increased its capitalization to the extent of \$8000000 and which under the provisions of this bill will be granted authority to issue stock to the extent of \$1400000 more. This is what you will get.

"It has been talked here before now that the property of the leased lines should not be taken to bolster up the Boston and Maine stock," said Mr. Couch. "It is not a fair statement to make as has been heard that the leased lines are wholly in favor of this bill.



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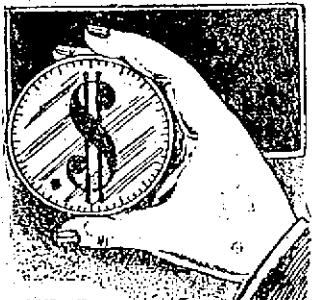
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He said he would not deny to the leased lines of New Hampshire an opportunity which would prove a benefit to them.

Rep. Bell of Exeter believed in the bill and said that unless it was passed and relief granted the Boston and Maine would go into receivership not later than the first of September.

Rep. Connor of Manchester said: Pass this bill and the Boston and Maine will have a few more bones to pick from the leased lines. I am here for the home folks and stand for them. We have the leased lines and they will take us as far as we want to go and I am satisfied. I would like to see the Boston and Maine go into the hands of a receiver but they don't dare to let them go into a receivership and we shall then have an investigation and find out who some of the biggers in the wood pile are. The bill smells bad. I don't like it and I hope it will be killed.

Rep. Callahan of Keene said it was not the people of New Hampshire who had put the Boston and Maine railroad into the condition in which it is today. He was not frightened by a threat of a receiver.

Rep. Preston of New Hampton said that the legislatures of 1887 and 1889 were largely responsible for the troubles of the Boston and Maine railroad as they had placed the present burdens upon that corporation and he believed the present legislature should repay the debt by adopting relief legislation. He would like to have the new bill which had been mentioned by members of the judiciary committee brought before the house before the present bill was disposed of.

Rep. Ahern of Concord endorsed the position taken by Chairman Niles of the Public Service Commission. He also emphasized the endorsement given the present bill by vote of the directors of the Concord and Montreal railroad. He said he was heartily in favor of the passage of the bill.

At the afternoon session Representative Jacobs of Lancaster spoke against the passage of the bill and Representative Lee of Concord and Duncan of Jaffrey in his favor while the last two speakers were talking the house got restless and Representative Wagner called for the previous question and the debate was brought to a close.

HOW RAILROAD CARS ARE CLEANED

In a report dealing with the migration of tuberculous persons in interstate traffic recently issued by the United States Public Health Service the manner of cleaning and disinfecting Pullman cars, day coaches, mail and baggage cars, at Asheville, N. C., is described.

When we consider the number of persons who travel to and from health

Wednesday.

resorts the necessity of thorough cleansing of railroad cars becomes evident. Not only is formaldehyde used as a disinfectant, but soap and hot water are liberally used as a means of mechanical cleansing. Dust is removed from the carpets, upholstered seats and interior of the cars by means of compressed air which has been found to be the most efficient means for this purpose.

Fresh air and sunlight which are among the best disinfecting agents we have, are also utilized as a further means of cleaning the blankets, mattresses and curtains used in Pullman cars.

In addition to the cleaning and disinfection of railroad coaches the use of individual drinking cups, drinking water of a required standard of purity, individual towels and dental laboratories are all factors which make traveling by railroad not only more agreeable but safer.

The slogan "Safety First" applies not only to the prevention of accidents, but the prevention of disease.

ATTEMPTED BREAK AT RALPH BIGGER'S

Thief is Frightened Away After He Had Cut Pane of Window Glass

Another attempt to break and enter was made on Thursday evening about

8:30 o'clock when an unknown man attempted to gain an entrance to the new home of letter carrier Ralph Bigger on South street. Mr. Bigger was home at the time and had retired for the night but the noise made by the fellow in attempting to raise the window awoke him and he opened his chamber window and shouted so lustily that the would-be intruder took that point. An investigation showed that the would-be thief had cut a hole in the window pane in order to release the latch.

WILBUR THEATRE, BOSTON, "A PAIR OF SIXES", 17th WEEK

New England playgoers in search of hearty laughter and bright entertainment are still flocking to the Wilbur Theatre, where "A Pair of Sixes," on Patriots' Day will begin the 17th week of an engagement which has broken all records for long runs in Boston. Although it would seem that every man, woman and child in Boston has already seen this wonderful farce, the attendance remains just as large as ever, and at every performance "A Pair of Sixes" sends its thrills of laughter across the footlights at an audience that fills every portion of the playhouse.

There must be some reason why a play can come to Boston in a season that has been characterized by poor business and stay longer than any farce has ever been known to stay in the Hub City. For since this piece came to the Wilbur Theatre in December nearly one hundred shows have come to Boston and gone their way. Any one who has seen this farce can tell you the reason. It is the best, cleanest, most enjoyable and funniest farce that has ever been presented. From the moment the curtain rises on the final line is spoken the audience is kept continually laughing and applauding and the funny situations follow so swift on each other's heels that it may be called one long laugh, lasting two hours and a half. And the company appearing in this piece contains sufficient comedy material to supply a half dozen farces with stars. The public evidently knows what it wants and "A Pair of Sixes" has struck the popular fancy with a Jess Willard punch.

ANOTHER WEEK OF THE LEGISLATURE

Concord April 15--It became positively known today that there is no adjournment of the legislature in sight for this week therefore the customary motion of adjourning from Thursday to Friday morning and Friday morning until 7:30 p. m. Monday will be made. The leaders in both branches of the legislature have settled down to the conviction that adjournment cannot be presented to this house if it is desired the only difference being that this bill which you have before you and the one which they have in reserve is that the latter preserves the identity of the leased lines. Had we such a public service commission in 1887 as we have today you would not have been able to rescue your New Hampshire railroads from the wreck as the commission of today stands for consolidation and you would have no opportunity to legislate as you are doing today. The situation as it strikes me is a remarkable one.

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Rep. Wood of Portsmouth favored the passage of the bill and made an appeal for each member of the house to act on his own individual judgment

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Billy Sunday is still gathering in the
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Baked bean supper, Universalist ves-
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Thirteen lodgers found rest in the po-
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geson Brothers, Tel. 670.

The Braves pulled the short end a
second time but the Red Sox put one
across.

Change of pictures at the Po-
rthmouth Theatre tonight. The show is
always good.

Little Bowery Minstrel Show, and
dance. Freeman's Hall, April 19.
Tickets 35 cents.

Between the submarines and the air-
ships, England is a pretty safe place
to stay away from.

More April showers and to transfer
an old familiar saying, remember that
April showers may bring flowers.

Fresh mackerel, bass, shad, tongues
and cheeks, Clark's Branch, Tel. 133.

One fire company captain recently
elected is still waiting for his certi-
ficate from the board of engineers.

Rummage sale at the Salvation
Army, Monday, April 19th, at 9
o'clock.

It looks like no street improvement
for Portsmouth this year unless the
board of council change its mind.

Because the members of the city
government are given invitations on
occasions to the local theatres, they
cannot exactly be called grafters.

Lawn mowers taken apart, both cut-
ters ground, all bearings cleaned, oiled
and adjusted, \$1.00; grinding the cut-
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Custard Pudding, Chocolate Sauce

 Mince Pie

 etc.

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